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- FORM PTO-1083 (IN DUPLICATION) (2 PAGES)

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PATENT
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In re Application of: Huffman
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply to office action in the subject application.

- Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
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Respectfully submitted,

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